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Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to submit herewith a table clarifying the number of civilians killed and injured as a result of terrorist attacks, including those involving mortar shells and explosive devices, committed or launched by armed terrorist groups against safe neighbourhoods in different Syrian cities and areas, during the period from 22 December 2017 to 21 January 2018. I note that 768 rockets and mortar shells hit residential neighbourhoods in the city of Damascus and in Rif Dimashq during the same period.

Governorate	*Total number of civilians killed*	*Number of children killed*	*Total number of civilians injured*	*Number of children injured*
Aleppo	2	1	5	1
Damascus	7	–	103	11
Dar'a	1	–	2	–
Dayr al-Zawr	1	–	4	–
Hama	3	1	16	5
Hasakah	–	–	–	–
Homs	1	–	7	4
Idlib	–	–	–	–
Ladhiqiyah	–	–	2	2
Qunaytirah	2	–	7	5
Raqqah	–	–	–	–
Rif Dimashq	5	–	22	8
Suwayda'	1	–	7	–
Tartus	–	–	–	–
Total	**23**	**2**	**175**	**36**

It would be highly appreciated if the present letter could be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Mounzer **Mounzer**
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